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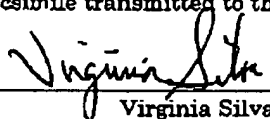
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Sir:

Applicants, having received a Notice of Allowance dated December 16,
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follows, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.312: